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COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM

HAYWARDS HEATH.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORTS

FOR 1883.

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COMMITTEE OF VISITORS AND OFFICERS.

1884.

EASTERN DIVISION.

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1. Smith, David, Esq., 11, Arundel Terrace, Brighton.
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OFFICERS.

Medical Superintendent.—S. W. D. Williams, Esq., M.D.
Senior Assistant Medical Officer.—T. B. Worthington, Esq., M.D.
Junior Assistant Medical Officer.—E. B. C. Walker, Esq., M.B.
Chaplain.—Rev. Thomas Edward Crallan, M.A.
Clerk of the Asylum.—Mr. S. A. Mortlock.
Storekeeper.—Mr. T. Lenton.
Housekeeper.—Mrs. Woodhouse.
Head Attendants.—Mr. W. T. Buckle (Male Department),
Miss Buckle (Female Department).
Assistant Female Officer.—Miss Heading.
Treasurer.—George Whitfeld, Esq., Lewes.
Clerk to the Visitors.—H. Jones, Esq., Lewes.

* Member of the House and Farm Committees.

February 1st, 1884.

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SUSSEX COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM

HAYWARDS HEATH.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS.

To Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Sussex, assembled in Quarter Sessions held at Lewes, in and for the Eastern Division of the said County, on Monday, the 31st day of December, 1883, *and at Petworth, in and for the Western Division of the said County, on Thursday, the 3rd day of January,* 1884.

THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS of the Sussex County Lunatic Asylum, appointed at the Epiphany Sessions, 1883, report:—

That the County Asylum at Haywards Heath continues in the same high state of efficiency and good management.

The Committee refer the Court for details to the annexed Report of the Medical Superintendent, and to the Statistical Tables appended thereto.

1.—The Number of Patients in this Asylum at the date of this Report is—

Males . . .	356
Females . . .	476
Total . .	832

The Admissions during the present year have been	231
The Discharges	158
The Deaths	77

At the date of the last Annual Report the total number on the books was 842. It will thus be seen that there are 10 patients less in the Asylum than there were at the corresponding period of last year. This (without taking into account the beds occupied by Private Patients) leaves 78 vacant beds in the main building, and 20 in the Sanatorium; and it may be assumed that the requirements of the County are for the present sufficiently provided for.

In July last the Medical Superintendent drew the attention of the House Committee to certain defects in the Sanitary arrangements of the Asylum. The provisions made for an Asylum containing at the present time more than double the number for which it was built had become wholly insufficient, and had not kept pace with the great advance made in Sanitary Science. The Committee, in consultation with Dr. Williams, directed the County Surveyor to prepare plans to remedy the evils complained of. These plans having been approved of by the Committee, were submitted to the Commissioners in Lunacy, and passed by them; they have also received the sanction of the Secretary of State, and are now laid before this Court for approval.

They consist of—

1.—Seven new blocks for Water-closets, built out behind the main building, with which they are connected by a passage admitting of a cross draft of air.

2.—The disconnection of all waste pipes leading from the Baths, Lavatories, and Sculleries to the main drainage.

3.—Improvements in the Sculleries and in the main drainage system.

These improvements are estimated to cost a sum of upwards of £2,500, which the Committee propose to defray out of a balance in hand, under 25 and 26 Vict., c. 11, sect. vi.; and they are happy to report that they need not apply to the Court for a grant to meet the expenditure.

The Committee beg further to report that Mrs. Stroud, who had been Housekeeper in the Asylum for 25 years, has been compelled to resign from failing health, and from the effects of an injury received in the performance of her duty. Her case was fully considered by the Committee, who resolved unanimously—in consideration of her long and faithful service, extending over nearly a quarter of a century—to recommend to the Court to allow her a pension of £100 a year, being two-thirds of her salary and allowance, and in accordance with the limit prescribed by 25 and 26 Vict., c. 111, sect. xii.

Mrs. Elizabeth L. Woodhouse, who had for some time past efficiently filled the office of Assistant Female Officer in the Asylum, has been appointed Housekeeper in the place of Mrs. Stroud.

The Committee having recommended to the Court at the Michaelmas Session last to grant to Henry Charles Kail, who had been Master Attendant Carpenter in the Asylum for 26 years, and was compelled to resign from permanent ill-health, a pension of £1 a week, such recommendation was confirmed by the Court.

The Farm Accounts cannot be made up till the end of the year, but there is every reason to expect a favourable balance both from the Farm and Garden.

Dr. Williams, by the careful recommendation of an increased number of Patients for discharge, and also by his constant efforts in inducing Boards of Guardians to take back harmless Patients into the Workhouses, has been very successful in keeping down the number of Patients in the Asylum.

The other Officers of the Staff have discharged their several duties in a manner highly satisfactory to the Committee.

JAMES H. SCLATER,
Chairman.

HAYWARDS HEATH,
22nd December, 1883.

SUSSEX COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM, HAYWARDS HEATH.

INCOME and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st December, 1883.

INCOME.

HEADS OF INCOME.	QUARTERS ENDING. 31st March.	30th June.	30th Sept.	31st Dec.	Year ending 31st Dec.	Total.
	FROM WEEKLY RATE.					
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
From Unions Contributing to the Asylum, for Maintenance	4465 7 8	4414 9 10	4483 1 9	4495 9 7	17858 8 10	
From Unions not Contributing to the Asylum, for Maintenance	745 8 11	783 2 7	761 3 0	762 17 11	3052 12 5	
From County Treasurers for Maintenance	30 10 5	31 11 1	37 9 0	37 9 0	136 19 6	
Private Patients, for Maintenance	257 5 11	252 13 8	238 14 1	231 19 2	980 12 10	
Cash received from the Farm in excess of all Cash Advances made (from the Asylum) to the Farm	.....	627 3 0	233 6 6	.....	860 9 6	
Total from Weekly Rate, &c.	5498 12 11	6109 0 2	5753 14 4	5527 15 8	22889 3 1	22889 3 1
	FROM COUNTY RATE.					
Repairs and Alterations.						
From County Treasurers for Repairs & Alterations	487 13 8	468 19 5	363 13 2	351 3 7	1671 9 10	
Improvements	235 18 0	.....	.....	.....	235 18 0	
Total from County Rate	723 11 8	468 19 5	363 13 2	351 3 7	1907 7 10	1907 7 10
Total Income from Weekly and County Rate	6222 4 7	6577 19 7	6117 7 6	5878 19 3	24796 10 11	24796 10 11
				Balance from Dec. 31st, 1882		5084 5 11
					Total...£	29880 16 10

EXPENDITURE.

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	QUARTERS ENDING. 31st March.	30th June.	30th Sept.	31st Dec.	Year ending 31st Dec.	Total of General Heads of Expenditure
	FROM WEEKLY RATE.					
Provisions.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
By Meat	464 4 10	358 4 8	191 0 9	669 4 6	1682 14 9	
Flour	417 4 8	420 19 6	394 13 2	378 17 6	1611 14 10	
Barley, Rice, &c.	14 8 6	21 6 0	14 16 0	15 8 0	65 18 6	
Tea, Coffee, & Cocoa	172 8 11	177 5 7	174 5 1	159 6 4	683 5 11	
Sugar and Treacle	78 3 2	85 7 2	78 17 0	98 18 9	341 6 1	
Sundry Groceries	18 18 8	23 13 8	22 7 3	34 6 9	99 6 4	
Tobacco and Snuff	47 6 0	39 11 10	47 6 0	41 2 8	175 6 6	
Butter	133 18 7	106 1 6	112 18 11	160 15 5	513 14 5	
Cheese, Eggs, &c.	63 1 10	62 1 8	75 17 0	79 6 4	280 6 10	
Malt, Hops, & Beer	300 4 5	268 15 11	322 16 0	278 1 0	1169 17 4	
Potatoes and other Vegetables	.....	50 13 3	18 11 4	25 16 6	95 1 1	
Board Wages	2 17 0	6 6 0	13 17 6	9 9 0	32 9 6	
Fish	4 6 6	44 15 6	26 8 0	40 17 4	116 7 4	
Meat *(from Farm Ac)*	557 4 9	566 8 4	841 7 8	282 13 5	2247 14 2	
Milk, Eggs, &c. *Do.*	251 9 0	244 1 0	257 19 8	255 17 6	1009 7 2	
Vegetables *Do.*	160 19 11	139 10 10	189 13 3	120 15 4	610 19 4	
Cash paid to Farm in excess of Produce received	38 11 2	.....	.....	126 15 4	165 6 6	
Total	2725 7 11	2615 2 5	2782 14 7	2777 11 8	10900 16 7	10900 16 7
House & other Expenses.						
By Coals, Coke, &c.	430 19 0	269 9 8	325 16 3	383 9 10	1409 14 9	
Gas	167 2 3	45 12 3	49 17 9	156 5 10	418 18 1	
Soap	47 2 0	30 9 3	41 17 0	46 19 3	166 7 6	
Starch, Soda, &c.	45 16 10	47 11 9	41 6 0	40 17 6	175 12 1	
Candles	7 13 0	7 1 3	4 13 0	9 7 3	28 14 6	
Furniture, Bedding, Linen, &c.	92 2 1	97 2 8	59 11 8	141 0 3	389 16 8	
Ironmongery, &c.	31 2 7	9 14 0	13 4 4	27 8 7	81 9 6	
Brooms, Brushes, &c.	17 1 9	24 8 9	17 7 3	18 18 3	77 16 0	
Earthenware, Glass, &c.	22 13 11	30 8 8	18 13 3	44 0 11	115 16 9	
Rates and Taxes	.....	15 13 4	.....	39 13 2	55 6 6	
Stationery, Postage &c.	37 14 3	27 5 8	24 18 7	39 12 9	129 11 3	
Printing, Advertisements, &c.	16 12 10	26 16 0	17 11 8	32 18 3	93 18 9	
Carriage of Goods, and Conveyances	20 19 6	22 8 11	22 6 10	23 17 8	89 12 11	
Funeral Expenses	13 3 6	21 19 3	2 10 0	10 14 3	48 7 0	
Periodicals, Books, and Amusements	66 12 9	34 18 5	38 16 8	43 15 1	184 2 11	
Re-taking Patients	0 6 0	0 19 3	3 8 2	.....	4 13 5	
Patients on Trial	22 5 0	27 17 0	25 18 0	30 7 11	106 7 11	
Uniform	73 18 8	13 18 7	30 2 11	.....	118 0 2	
Keep of Horse *(from Farm Account)*	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	5 17 0	23 8 0	
Total	1119 2 11	759 11 8	743 16 4	1095 3 9	3717 14 8	3717 14 8
By Clothing	251 8 4	240 2 10	325 11 4	352 8 11	1169 11 5	1169 11 5
Salaries and Wages.						
By Officers	596 15 0	594 9 4	596 15 0	596 15 0	2384 14 4	
Attendants and Servants	689 14 4	687 2 3	684 9 6	694 2 8	2755 8 9	
Total	1286 9 4	1281 11 7	1281 4 6	1290 17 8	5140 3 1	5140 3 1
Medicine.						
By Drugs, Instruments, &c.	36 16 3	49 1 1	38 15 11	29 18 3	154 11 6	
Wines, Spirits, and Porter	39 8 6	45 17 1	28 19 9	28 17 6	143 2 9	
Total	76 4 9	94 18 1	67 15 8	58 15 9	297 14 3	297 14 3
By Incidentals	36 18 11	17 1 0	27 11 4	33 5 1	114 16 4	
Total	36 18 11	17 1 0	27 11 4	33 5 1	114 16 4	114 16 4
Total from Weekly Rate	5495 12 2	5008 7 7	5228 13 9	5608 2 10	21340 16 4	21340 16 4
	FROM COUNTY RATE.					
Repairs and Alterations.						
By Labour	164 1 4	146 10 3	145 3 0	162 18 7	618 13 2	
Timber	23 13 5	78 16 2	1 0 3	7 10 4	111 0 2	
Iron, Lead, &c.	46 14 3	134 4 1	136 16 4	41 5 8	359 0 4	
Bricks, Slate, Cement, &c.	25 12 8	25 8 2	13 4 5	48 16 0	113 1 3	
Glass	.....	4 15 6	4 19 2	2 6 9	12 1 5	
Paints and Paper	10 3 3	18 12 4	17 19 9	14 19 8	61 15 0	
Sundries	52 17 7	32 8 9	20 0 3	23 13 8	129 0 3	
Insurance & Taxes	134 13 8	.....	.....	.....	134 13 8	
Carriage & Carting	20 15 6	7 2 2	2 8 0	27 10 11	57 16 7	
Superannuation	9 2 0	21 2 0	22 2 0	22 2 0	74 8 0	
Total	487 13 8	468 19 5	363 13 2	351 3 7	1671 9 10	1671 9 10
By Improvements	235 18 0	.....	.....	.....	235 18 0	235 18 0
Total from County Rate	723 11 8	468 19 5	363 13 2	351 3 7	1907 7 10	1907 7 10
Total Expenditure from Weekly and County Rates	6219 3 10	5477 7 0	5592 6 11	5959 6 5	23248 4 2	23248 4 2
					Balance...	6632 12 8
					Total...£	29880 16 10

Examined by the Finance Committee, January 26th, 1884.

(Signed) JAMES H. SCLATER, CHAIRMAN.
J. M. NORMAN.
W. HENRY CAMPION.

(Signed) S. A. MORTLOCK,
Clerk of the Asylum.

AVERAGE WEEKLY EXPENDITURE *for the Year, for each Patient, from Weekly Rate.*

	QUARTERS ENDING. March 31st.	June 30th.	Sept. 30th.	Dec. 31st.	Average for the Year 1883.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Provisions	4 11⅜	3 8⅛	4 7⅝	5 0⅝	4 7
House and other Expenses	2 0	1 4⅜	1 4¼	1 11¾	1 8⅛
Clothing	0 5¼	0 5⅜	0 7⅛	0 7¾	0 6⅜
Salaries and Wages	2 4	2 4⅜	2 4	2 4⅛	2 4⅛
Medicine, Spirits, &c.	0 1⅝	0 2⅛	0 1½	0 1¼	0 1⅝
Incidentals	0 0⅞	0 0⅜	0 0⅝	0 0¾	0 0⅝
Nett Cost	9 11⅜	8 0¾	9 1⅛	10 2¼	9 3⅞
Weekly Rate Chargeable to the Unions Contributing to the Asylum	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6
Ditto do. Not Contributing do.	14 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	14 0
Ditto do. For Private Patients	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0

SUSSEX COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUM.

BALANCE STATEMENT for the Quarter ending December 31st, 1883.

1883.	Assets.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	Due from Unions Contributing	4495	9	7
„	„ Ditto not ditto	762	17	11
„	„ County Treasurers	37	9	0
„	„ Private Patients' Account	231	19	2
„	For Sale of Farm Produce, Stores, &c.	244	3	5
„	„ Repairs, Alterations, &c.	351	3	7
„	„ Cottage Rent	8	2	6
„	Cash in Bankers' hands	3264	12	2
„	„ Clerk's „	164	13	5
		£9560	10	9

1883.	Debits.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	To Amounts due to sundry Tradesmen on account of Maintenance, Repairs, &c., &c.	2896	13	1
„	Ditto on Cheques not paid in	31	5	0
	Surplus Balance	6632	12	8
		£9560	10	9

Submitted to the Finance Committee this 26th day of January, 1884.

(Signed) JAMES H. SCLATER *(Chairman).*
J. M. NORMAN.
W. HENRY CAMPION.

(Signed)
S. A. MORTLOCK,
Clerk of the Asylum.

SUSSEX LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Dr. Farm and Garden Accounts for the Year ending December 31st, 1883. Cr.

1882.—December 31st.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Estimated Value of Live Stock	1286	7	0			
Estimated Value of Dead Stock	555	0	0			
Estimated Value of Tenant's Valuation	796	1	8			
Estimated Value of Provender	587	10	0			
				3224	18	8
1883.—December 31st.						
By Purchase of—						
61 Cows and Beasts	1672	0	1			
3 Calves	18	16	0			
7 Pigs	18	0	0			
Oil Cake	349	0	0			
Bran and Sharps	323	11	8			
Barley and Maize	132	18	0			
Manure and Lime	114	11	8			
Implements	54	1	0			
Wages of Bailiff, Gardener, Cowman, Carters, and other Servants employed on Farm	438	0	0			
Medicine	17	10	0			
Railway Carriage	15	14	9			
Sundries	6	1	0			
208 Sheep	652	0	9			
4199 Trusses Straw	202	8	9			
Seeds and Plants	64	13	2			
Thatching	8	8	6			
Valuation	7	7	0			
Thrashing	16	8	10			
1 Bull	16	0	0			
				4127	11	2
Rates and Taxes	55	6	6			
Estimated Rent on Land	200	0	0			
				255	6	6
Balance in favour				671	13	4
				£8,279	9	8

1883.—December 31st.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Sale of—						
27 Calves	68	19	0			
79 Pigs	212	8	6			
Hides and Skins	55	15	3			
Rough Fat, &c.	61	9	7			
Poles, Faggots, & Vegt.	10	12	6			
Use of Stock	6	17	0			
75 Sheep	257	16	0			
93½ qrs. Wheat	212	2	9			
Oats	17	12	0			
74lbs. Wool	4	0	2			
				907	12	9
Discount				23	12	9
By Produce supplied to House—						
41,809 lbs. Beef @ -/9; -/9½; & -/8	1580	0	7			
6,123 ,, Pork @ -/7½	191	6	10½			
2,795 ,, Suet ,, -/6	69	17	6			
8,620 ,, Mutton @ -/10¾; -/11; & -/9¾	383	15	4½			
Bells, Livers, &c.	22	13	10			
				2247	14	2
20,910 gals. Milk @ -/11	958	7	6			
7,842 No. Eggs ,, -/1	32	13	6			
107 ,, Poultry ,, 2/6	13	7	6			
96 ,, Rabbits ,, -/10 & 1/2	4	18	8			
				1009	7	2
3,181 bus. Cabbage @ 1/-	159	1	0			
78 ,, Onions ,, 2/-	7	16	0			
1,433½ ,, Potatoes ,, 2/8	191	0	0			
343 ,, Carrots ,, 2/-	34	6	0			
477 ,, Parsnips ,, 2/-	47	14	0			
328 ,, Turnips ,, -/10	13	10	10			
1,174 ,, Cauliflowers @ /2	9	15	8			
156 ,, Peas ,, 2/-	15	12	0			
484½ ,, Beans ,, 2/-	48	9	0			
Other Vegetables	26	6	8			
Fruit and Rhubarb	33	0	8			
Vegetables and Fruit supplied to Medical Superintendent	24	7	6			
				610	19	4
Keep of House Horse	23	8	0			
				23	8	0
By Estimated Value of Live Stock	1281	17	0			
Estimated Value of Dead Stock	550	0	0			
Estimated Value of Tenant's Valuation	1091	2	6			
Estimated Value of Provender	533	16	0			
				3456	15	6
				£8,279	9	8

ESTIMATED VALUE OF FARM STOCK:—

1882.—December 31st.	£	s.	d.
29 Cows, Fatting Beasts, and Calves	650	0	0
60 Sheep	189	0	0
7 Horses	218	10	0
122 Head of Swine	202	12	0
150 Poultry and Ferrets	26	5	0
	1286	7	0
Dead Stock, Implements, &c.	555	0	0
Tenant's Valuation	796	1	8
Provender	587	10	0
	£3,224	18	8*

1883.—December 31st.	£	s.	d.
29 Cows, Bull, Fatting Beasts, and Calves	705	10	0
60 Sheep	169	15	0
6 Horses and 1 Colt	210	0	0
96 Head of Swine	178	12	0
120 Poultry and Ferrets	18	0	0
	1281	17	0
Dead Stock, Implements, &c.	550	0	0
Tenant's Valuation	1091	2	6
Provender	533	16	0
	£3,456	15	6*

Examined by the Farm Committee, January 26th, 1884.

(Signed) JAMES H. SCLATER.
T. F. WISDEN.
W. HENRY CAMPION.
W. SERGISON.

(Signed) S. A. MORTLOCK,
Clerk of the Asylum.

* These Valuations were made by Mr. Thos. Bannister, Haywards Heath.

An Abstract of the Annual Returns of Pauper Lunatics chargeable to the several Unions and Places in the County of Sussex, 1st January, 1884.
(16 & 17 Vic., cap. 97, s. 64.)

CHARGEABLE TO UNIONS AND COUNTY.	In County Asylum.		In Private Asylum		In Asylums in other Counties		In Work-houses.		In Lodgings or Boarded out.		Residing with Relatives or Friends.		TOTAL.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Battle	4	13	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	3	4	11	21
Brighton	105	118	...	...	...	...	73	93	...	...	6	14	184	225
Chailey	9	7	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	1	12	11
Chichester (Incorporatn)	5	9	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	8	11
Cuckfield	13	24	...	...	...	...	3	10	...	1	...	2	16	37
Eastbourne	8	10	...	...	...	...	2	7	...	...	...	1	10	18
East Grinstead	6	11	...	...	...	...	6	7	...	...	2	7	14	25
East Preston	13	19	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	3	6	20	29
Hailsham	9	22	...	...	...	1	2	4	...	...	4	7	15	34
Hastings	23	44	...	...	2	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	26	49
Horsham	16	24	...	...	...	...	2	4	...	...	6	6	24	34
Lewes	13	14	...	...	1	1	5	5	...	...	...	...	19	20
Midhurst	11	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	13	11
Newhaven	9	5	...	...	...	...	1	6	...	...	...	...	10	11
Petworth	9	7	...	...	1	...	2	4	...	...	2	3	14	14
Rye	9	10	...	...	...	...	7	9	...	...	4	3	20	22
Steyning	25	45	...	...	1	...	10	10	...	...	3	8	39	63
Thakeham	6	11	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	8	14
Ticehurst	9	11	...	...	...	...	6	1	...	...	2	3	17	15
Uckfield	10	18	...	...	...	...	5	2	1	...	5	6	21	26
Westbourne	7	3	...	...	...	...	3	8	...	...	1	4	11	15
Westfirle	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	6	...
Westhampnett	21	16	...	1	...	...	5	12	...	...	1	6	27	35
County Eastern Division	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Do. Western do.	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
TOTALS	348	451	...	1	5	2	145	199	2	2	50	86	550	741

SUMMARY.

Years.	In Asylums.		In Workhouses		With Friends.		TOTALS.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.&F
1st January, 1855.	92	127	79	54	45	85	216	266	482
1st January, 1868.	242	301	95	107	62	84	399	492	891
1st January, 1869.	250	318	102	110	67	84	419	512	931
1st January, 1870.	246	326	109	108	72	83	427	517	944
1st January, 1871.	275	348	116	120	79	101	470	569	1039
1st January, 1872.	264	341	111	141	84	120	459	602	1061
1st January, 1873.	284	343	122	140	79	109	485	592	1077
1st January, 1874.	297	351	109	146	67	106	473	603	1076
1st January, 1875.	301	361	108	158	84	118	493	637	1130
1st January, 1876.	312	387	111	161	75	104	498	652	1150
1st January, 1877.	324	384	106	163	75	102	505	649	1154
1st January, 1878.	340	390	118	165	71	96	529	651	1180
1st January, 1879.	341	412	120	158	62	98	523	668	1191
1st January, 1880.	347	415	111	170	56	93	514	678	1192
1st January, 1881.	341	436	126	160	61	99	528	695	1223
1st January, 1882.	353	462	129	163	54	98	536	723	1259
1st January, 1883.	359	458	113	181	55	97	527	736	1263
1st January, 1884.	353	454	145	199	52	88	550	741	1291

S. A. MORTLOCK,
Clerk of the Asylum.

THE

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT'S

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

Twenty-fifth Annual Report.

THE Medical Superintendent has the honour to submit the Twenty-fifth Annual Report to the Committee of Visitors.

Numbers on the 31st Dec., 1882.

On the 31st December, 1882, the Numbers in the Asylum were—Male, 366; Female, 473; Total, 839.

Admissions.

The Admissions during the year have been—Male, 103; Female, 137; Total, 240.

Discharges.

The Discharges during the year have been—Male, 72; Female, 93; Total, 165.

Deaths.

The Deaths during the same period have been—Male, 41; Female, 39; Total, 80.

Mean Annual Population.

The Mean Population resident during the year has been—Male, 360; Female, 478; Mean Average, 838.

Numbers this day, 31st Dec., 1883.

The Numbers in the Asylum this day (31st December, 1883) are—Male, 356; Female, 478; Total, 834.

Numerical Results of the year

The several Numerical Results are summed up in the first Table in the Appendix to this Report.

The Numerical Results of the year 1883 yield the following percentages:—

Annual percentage for 1883.

(a) The Discharges (including the cases relieved) are 67.9 per cent. on the Admissions of the year.

Excluding those cases relieved, the percentage of Recoveries on the Admissions stands at—Male, 40.7; Female, 38.6; Average, 39.5. On the average number resident it is—Male, 11.7; Female, 11.0; Average, 11.0.

(b) The Mortality on the total number under treatment is—Male, 8.7; Female, 7.6; Average, 8.1. Mortality.

The Admissions and Re-Admissions have been very numerous, and have greatly exceeded those in any former year. Those from the County are twenty-two in excess of last year, whilst the number of Private Patients admitted has fallen to eight, chiefly owing to its having been necessary to refuse many cases from want of room. Admissions.

The Mortality is much as last year as to the percentage, and remains below the average of English County Asylums. Out of forty-one deaths on the Males' side, fourteen, being thirty-four per cent., were from Progressive Paralysis of the Insane; and the next most fatal disease, taking both sexes, was Phthisis, from which three Males and eight Females succumbed, of whom four developed the disease during their residence in the Asylum, and the remainder were more or less delicate on admission. Deaths.

The Discharges (165) are much more numerous than in any former year, and are fifteen per cent. on the total number under treatment, and seventy per cent. on the admissions. Discharges.

They may be classed as follows:—

Recovered	95
Transferred to Workhouses as harmless or more or less relieved	35
Handed over to the care of Relatives as chronic, harmless cases	31
Transferred to other Asylums	4

As the percentage of Recoveries is only 39.5 per cent., as against 52.8 per cent. last year, it will be seen that the increase in the total number of Discharges is due to the large number of harmless and chronic cases transferred to Workhouses, and to the care of friends. Reference to Table III. in the Appendix shows that the Recoveries were unusually numerous last year, and that they are quite up to the average this year.

Numbers in Asylum.

The numbers in the Asylum at the end of the year are as follows :—

	M.	F.	T.
Chargeable to Unions, &c., in Sussex	355	450	805
Private Patients	8	18	26
Out-County Patients	3	5	8
Total ...	366	473	839

And as, including the Sanatorium, there are 900 beds in the Asylum, there are still, if the Private and Out-County Patients were removed, nearly 100 beds available for Lunatics chargeable to Sussex.

Lunacy in Sussex.

The Table on Page 11 gives the usual interesting Abstract of the Annual Returns of Pauper Lunatics chargeable to the several Unions and places in the County of Sussex at the end of the year. From this it will be seen that there is an increase in the total number of Chargeable Lunatics of twenty-eight, which is decidedly above the average, which for the last decade has been sixteen. As might be supposed from the large numbers that have been transferred from the Asylum to the various Workhouses, *there are fifty more Lunatics in Workhouses than there were at a corresponding period last year*, which cannot but be looked upon as a

gratifying fact, showing, as it does, that many of the Boards of Guardians have awakened to the importance of providing accommodation for harmless and chronic cases in the Workhouses, if the necessity for building a New Asylum is to be avoided. The Table further shows that there are ten fewer Patients in Asylums and twelve fewer boarded out with relatives, which latter fact is somewhat singular when it is remembered that thirty-one Chronic and Improved Cases left the Asylum during the year, and were handed over to the care of their relatives. The presumption is that many of these cases have so far benefited by the change as to be no longer classed as Lunatics.

Escapes.

The Escapes have again been few in number. Two women strayed from a Picnic party, and both reached their homes before they were re-taken. One man (W. C.) broke through the ceiling of his bedroom, into the roof, and so escaped, and though the Night Attendant soon discovered what had occurred, he got away, and was never heard of until after the fortnight had expired during which it is legal to re-take Certified Lunatics. He was therefore discharged, and has left the County. Another man (G. V.) who was taken with a party of others to the Crystal Palace for the day, and who, it was believed, could be trusted, either escaped or was lost in the crowd, and was not re-taken for several days.

Amusements.

The Amusements provided for the Patients were much as in former years, and were wound up at Christmas by a Grand Fancy Calico Ball, which was a great success. All the dresses, with the exception of a few that were hired, were made in the Asylum, under

the supervision of the Chief Attendants, Mr. and Miss Buckle, to whom the success of the affair is greatly due.

Changes in the Staff. Mrs. Hearsey, the Assistant Female Officer, resigned her situation and left on June 4th, having been appointed Chief Nurse to the Nottingham Borough Asylum.

Kail's Pension. Henry Charles Kail, the master carpenter attendant, has had to resign his situation owing to permanent ill-heath. He was away from his work on sick leave the greater part of last winter, and the Asylum was put to great inconvenience in consequence. He was sixty-two years of age, and had been in the service of the County from the commencement of the building of the Asylum, more than twenty-five years ago. The Medical Superintendent therefore considered it necessary to call the attention of the Committee to his case, and it was resolved to recommend him to the Quarter Sessions for a pension of two-thirds of his salary and allowances, viz., £52 a year, which was confirmed, and he ceased to be employed in the Asylum from March 31st.

Mrs. Stroud's Retirement. Mrs. Elizabeth Stroud, who was appointed House-keeper on February 19th, 1859, and had therefore been in the employ of the Asylum for a quarter of a century, and had assisted at its opening, felt compelled to place her resignation in the hands of the Committee at the September meeting. About eighteen months ago, whilst supervising the work in the Laundry, she slipped on the wet bricks and fell very heavily, hurting her arm severely, and greatly shaking her system generally. She was laid up for many weeks, and has never thoroughly recovered the shock. This, combined with her age (seventy-two years), has made her feel lately

that she is past the active performance of her work. The Committee were therefore reluctantly compelled to accept her resignation, and recommended her for a pension of £100 per annum, being two-thirds of her salary and allowances, which was confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions. The Medical Superintendent regrets much having to lose the services of an officer with whom he has been associated for so many years, and whom he had always found anxious to carry out his wishes, and to further the interests of the establishment. He believes he is giving expression to the sentiments of the whole staff in stating that her loss will be much felt, and in wishing her a long life and improved health to enjoy her well-earned retirement.

Mrs. Woodhouse appointed Housekeeper.

Mrs. Stroud does not finally leave until February 1st in next year. Mrs. Woodhouse, the Assistant Female Officer, has been appointed to succeed her, and from what the Medical Superintendent has seen of Mrs. Woodhouse during the few months she has been in the employ of the County, he has every hope that she will prove an efficient officer.

Charge Nurse of Female Ward.

8 Miss Mary Heading, the Charge Nurse of Female Ward, has been promoted to the post of Assistant Female Officer. As regards this appointment, the Medical Superintendent, as an incentive to others, was very anxious to fill it up from the ranks of the Charge Nurses, instead of seeking for a stranger. He is gratified, therefore, that his nomination of Miss Heading was accepted by the Committee, and he considers the Charge Nurses should look on it as a compliment to their body.

Sanitary Arrangements.

For a long period the Sanitary arrangements, and especially the small number of Water Closets, has engaged the attention of the Medical Superintendent, and although the health of the Patients generally has always been good, and no ailments traceable to defective drainage have ever shown themselves, it could not be denied that the large increase of the Asylum population, and the great advancement of sanitary science during the period since the Asylum was built, had left the sanitary arrangements decidedly behind those in the more modern Asylums. On the Medical Superintendent expressing these views to the Committee, they at once admitted the force of them, and directed him to prepare plans in conjunction with Mr. Card, the County Surveyor, to remedy the defects complained of. In preparing these New Plans it was arranged—

1. That the W. C's. should be in detached blocks communicating with the Wards by a passage having cross ventilation.
2. That there should be an average of one Closet for every ten Patients.
3. That Closets shut off from those for the Patients should be provided for the Staff.
4. That as far as possible no Main Drains should pass under the buildings.
5. That all waste pipes should be cut off from the Main Drains.
6. That wherever there was a bend or angle in a soil pipe or drain, an inspection plate or pit should be built.
7. That as far as possible all traps should be abandoned and free ventilation substituted.

These Plans having been approved by the Committee, were forwarded to the Commissioners in Lunacy, who submitted them to Mr. Rogers Field, the eminent Engineer, for a report. His report was favourable, and he had only one or two trifling suggestions to make. The Commissioners therefore recommended the Home Secretary to sanction them, which was done, and they now await the approval of the Quarter Sessions. That they are not perfect the Medical Superintendent is well aware, but it is impossible thoroughly to adapt an old building to modern requirements. It is, however, confidently anticipated that they will be a great improvement on the old condition of things. They were urgently needed, and when carried out, as it is hoped they will be before another year is completed, they will undoubtedly greatly increase the efficiency of the establishment, and add to the well-being of the inmates.

Commissioners in Lunacy

The Commissioners in Lunacy visited the Asylum on the 8th and 9th of June, thoroughly inspected the Asylum, and spoke individually to every Patient in the House at the time. Their Report is published, as usual, and will be found at page 24.

The Weekly Cost for Maintenance has averaged 9s. $3\frac{7}{8}$d., which is lower than it has been in any year, except 1870, since the opening of the Asylum. This is greatly due to the successful working of the Farm and Garden operations, on which there is a balance of £670, after, as will be seen from the Farm Balance Sheet, printed on page 10, deducting all legitimate expenses.

Statistical Tables.

The Medical Statistical Tables appended to this Report will be found to be increased in number, and, it is confidently hoped, in utility, from those given in

former years. They are the ones recently revised and recommended by a Committee of the Medico-Psychological Association.

This compilation has been rather a heavy task, as it has involved the repeated examination of the records of every individual case since the opening of the Asylum. It has been chiefly undertaken by Mr. Mortlock, the Clerk of the Asylum, and the Medical Superintendent acknowledges, with thanks, the great trouble he has taken in the matter, and the time he has devoted to it.

Conclusion.

That another year has passed without any serious accident or casualty, and that the establishment maintains its high character, the Medical Superintendent is glad to acknowledge is due to the efficiency of the Staff generally, and to the zeal evinced in the execution of their duties by Dr. Worthington, Dr. Walker, and the other officers.

S. W. D. WILLIAMS, M.D.,
Medical Superintendent.

HAYWARDS HEATH,
December 31st, 1883.

THE CHAPLAIN'S TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

THE Chaplain lays before the Committee his Report for the year just concluded. Twenty-fifth Annual Report.

The Services each morning have been held in the two Dining Halls. There has been Service in the Chapel, with a Sermon, on each Sunday, and on Good Friday and Christmas Day. The short Service afterwards, in the Female Infirmary, has been continued. Sunday and other Services.

Holy Communion has been administered from time to time. Administration of Holy Communion.

The Classes have gone on as usual, and not without both pleasure and benefit to the Patients present. Classes.

The Library and the Books in the Wards are a constant source of gratification to very many of those for whom they are provided, and the Chaplain desires to thank the Committee for allowing an additional supply of Books. Library.

The Chaplain has visited all parts of the Asylum as he is required to do. Visits.

There have been only 39 Burials in the Cemetery this year. Burials.

The Savings Bank, which is now in the seventh year of its operation, is beneficial beyond expectation, and thoroughly valued. Savings Bank.

The Chaplain desires to thank all the Staff for their cordial co-operation and support on all occasions. Conclusion.

(Signed) THOMAS E. CRALLAN, M.A.,
Chaplain.

HAYWARDS HEATH,
December 31st, 1883.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

The great Meteorological Phenomenon, which will, probably, cause this year to be long remembered, is the series of brilliant sunsets and sunrises which attracted so much attention during the months of November and December. At present opinions seem divided as to whether they were an effect produced by volcanic dust from the eruption at Krakatoa, suspended in the upper regions of our atmosphere, or whether they are due to some condition of that portion of space through which we are travelling.

There has been no other peculiarity in the weather of the year to call for special notice.

The Total Rainfall of the year was 28.60 inches, being 1.17 inches below the average of the previous fifteen years. The number of wet days was 203.

The driest months were March and August, in each of which the Rainfall was less than an inch.

The wettest months were February and November, in each of which the Rainfall reached a total of more than 4 inches.

The greatest Rainfall in twenty-four hours occurred on November 25th, and amounted to 1.02 inches.

The greatest Heat in the sun, *viz.*, 160.5° was recorded on June 9th. The greatest Cold occurred on March 16th, when the Thermometer on the grass went down to 14.3°.

The usual Table is appended.

THOMAS E. CRALLAN.

Meteorological Observations taken at the County Asylum during 1883.

Year 1883.	Pressure of Atmosphere corrected and reduced. 9 a.m.		Temperature of the Air.									Radiation Thermometers.					Wind.									Mean Amount of Cloud.	Rain.	
						Mean.												Direction.										
Months.	Mean.	Range.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Of all Maxima.	Of all Minima.	Daily Range.	Daily Temperature.	Dew Point.	Humidity Satn. 100.	Maximum in Sun, *in vacuo*.	Minimum on Grass.	Range.	Mean Maximum.	Mean Minimum.	Mean Velocity in Miles per Diem.	N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W	N.W		No. of Wet Days.	Amount Collected.
January ...	29.937	1.324	54.0	27.9	26.1	46.3	36.3	10.0	41.3	38.2	91.1	95.3	23.8	71.5	68.5	33.3	151	2	2	7	4	6	5	3	2	7	20	2.56
February	30.082	1.858	55.5	28.1	27.4	49.1	35.4	13.7	41.8	39.8	93.6	109.0	25.7	83.3	86.4	32.3	180	0	0	1	3	10	4	8	2	7	19	4.11
March ...	29.909	1.435	61.8	20.7	41.1	45.2	30.1	15.1	36.8	32.6	85.3	122.3	14.3	108.0	106.0	26.1	135	10	2	7	1	2	1	4	4	5	12	0.81
April ...	30.003	1.193	68.0	29.0	39.0	57.5	37.8	19.7	46.4	42.1	79.8	137.6	24.2	113.4	121.4	33.7	103	5	5	1	3	3	1	11	1	6	9	1.47
May	29.953	.863	75.4	31.4	44.0	62.6	42.8	19.8	51.9	47.6	75.3	151.5	31.0	120.5	128.8	40.4	107	8	4	2	2	7	3	2	3	6	12	2.53
June ...	29.971	.631	84.3	36.5	47.8	68.5	46.5	22.0	56.2	54.2	77.0	160.5	28.8	131.7	142.1	42.2	97	3	4	2	4	7	1	6	3	6	17	1.82
July	29.877	.527	81.5	38.8	42.7	69.0	50.8	18.2	55.4	54.5	76.1	153.8	35.2	118.6	143.3	46.7	110	1	2	0	3	6	6	9	4	7	19	2.61
August ...	30.042	.614	82.0	45.0	37.0	71.9	52.3	19.6	61.1	57.2	79.0	150.3	38.3	112.0	138.6	47.3	105	0	2	3	2	4	4	13	3	6	15	0.96
September	29.835	1.325	75.2	39.6	35.6	66.3	48.8	17.5	56.8	53.9	87.0	137.5	32.6	104.9	124.8	43.8	121	1	6	0	5	3	6	2	7	6	22	3.64
October ...	29.987	1.063	65.3	34.0	31.3	58.1	43.2	14.9	50.2	48.1	88.5	130.5	25.2	105.3	102.8	38.7	97	4	3	4	2	4	6	5	3	7	17	2.48
November	29.846	1.346	56.5	26.6	29.9	50.7	36.4	14.3	43.5	41.8	94.4	104.0	20.2	83.8	85.0	31.4	112	1	0	2	1	8	4	10	4	6	24	4.51
December	30.162	.884	54.0	22.8	31.2	44.2	34.8	9.4	39.9	37.7	92.9	82.7	15.8	66.9	61.1	31.3	121	6	2	1	4	1	2	11	4	7	17	1.10
Mean, Extreme or Total for the Year.	29.969	1.858	84.3	20.7	63.6	57.4	41.2	16.2	48.4	45.2	85.0	160.5	14.3	146.2	109.1	37.3	120	41	32	30	34	61	43	84	40	6	203	28.60

(Signed) THOMAS E. CRALLAN.

REPORT OF THE

VISITING COMMISSIONERS IN LUNACY.

SUSSEX COUNTY ASYLUM,

HAYWARDS HEATH,

June 9th, 1883.

DURING yesterday and to-day we have carefully inspected this Asylum, the present condition of which is in general most satisfactory. The Wards in each division are remarkably bright and comfortable, and it is evident that the strictest attention is paid to cleanliness. The Sanitary state of the Asylum is very good, and nowhere did we observe any absence of ventilation or indication of the admission of noxious gases. Indeed, the system adopted here of discharging all the sewage directly on to the land without any intercepting tank would seem to prevent entirely the formation of sewer gas, and to secure the Asylum from that most dangerous agent. Beside the security thus afforded, there is the additional safeguard of the disconnection of all waste pipes outside the building.

We must mention, with approval, the very ample supply of Books, Papers, and Periodicals provided in the Wards, and all accessible to the Patients. From a return made to us we learn that £20 are expended

half-yearly in the purchase of Second-hand Books, and that 18 Daily, 50 Weekly, and 38 Monthly Newspapers, or other Publications, are purchased for the use of the Patients.

We have taken care, as usual, to see every Patient in residence. These were 832 in number, 355 being Males, and 479 Females. There are, besides, two Female Patients out on trial, but still borne on the register. For the total number of 834 Patients, there is, at present, abundance of room, and vacancies exist, we are told, for 44 Males and 21 Females. This relief from pressure for space has been obtained principally by the free discharge of cases not absolutely cured, to Workhouses, or the care of their friends. Of 197 Patients who, since the date of our colleagues' visit on February 28th last year, have been discharged, 54 were removed to Workhouses and 37 to the care of friends, and of these 91 Patients not more than two or three have, Dr. Williams tells us, been returned to the Asylum. The experiment, therefore, of relieving the congestion of an Asylum, by sending out carefully-selected cases of the chronic and harmless classes, has been fairly and successfully tried here, and it will probably obviate for some time the necessity of further extension. The removal of such cases of course materially alters the character of the insane population, largely increasing the proportion of acute and violent cases, and also, in consequence, increasing the cost of supervision, but we have not observed, in the course of inspection, any serious evil to have resulted. There was but little noise in the Wards, and no violence or aggressiveness. While on this subject, however, we would suggest whether a less strict separation of the

excitable cases from the quieter might not be beneficial. We have elsewhere seen good results to follow upon a more general mixture of the classes. Of the 197 cases discharged as above, 138 are recorded as recoveries. In the same interval, 291 Patients—142 Males and 149 Females—have been admitted, and 59 Males and 46 Females have died. The causes of the deaths do not call for special notice; none were due to violence, or any epidemic or infectious disorder, from which the Asylum has been free. In 47 cases only were *post-mortem* examinations made. No Coroner's Inquest was held. The mortality in 1882 was—for the Males 14.1, and for the Females 5.6, or for both sexes 9.3 per cent. of the average daily number resident. The recoveries in the same year are stated to bear the ratios of 38.7 for Males, and 67.9 for Females to the admissions; or 52.8 for both sexes.

Of the Patients now here, 729 are chargeable to Sussex Unions, 16 to Chichester, 56 to Hastings, 4 to Seaford, 4 to Out-Counties, and there are 25 of the Private Class. The general charge has been reduced by 3d. a week since last year, and is now 9s. 6d. for the County and Brighton Patients. Of the latter there are, we understand, about 240. The question of that Borough providing itself with a separate Asylum for its insane poor appears to have been resolved in the negative, or at all events to be for the present in abeyance.

We were satisfied with the clothing and personal neatness of the Patients of both sexes, and with the efforts made to amuse and interest them. The returns of useful employment are very satisfactory, and, according to them, it appears that of the Males, excluding 84

who are Ward cleaners only, 56 per cent. are usefully employed; as many as 116 are employed on the land; and that of the Females, also excluding Ward cleaners only, of whom there are 55, 65 per cent. are employed upon useful work. As regards exercise too, the returns are favourable, and inform us that all but 39 of the Males, and all except 79 of the Women, take more extended exercise than they can obtain in the Airing Courts.

The staff of Attendants seems to be adequate to the service of the Asylum, though the proportion to Patients is not large. It is, indeed, we think, below the average of most County Asylums. The staff remains of the same strength as last year, except that an Assistant Female Officer, to assist the Housekeeper and Chief Nurse, has been appointed. Of the present Nurses eleven, and of the Male Attendants three, only have been under a year in the Asylum service. There have been very few instances of the use of seclusion or restraint since the last visit, and the latter has been chiefly in the form of Wet Packing. The usual renovation of the decoration of Wards and other repairs have been effected, but there has not been any very material structural addition or alteration since the last visit.

C. S. BAGOT,

W. RHYS WILLIAMS,

Commissioners in Lunacy.

APPENDIX,

CONTAINING THE REVISED TABLES OF THE MEDICO-PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION, &c.

The Medical Superintendent desires to acknowledge the services rendered to him by the Clerk of the Asylum (Mr. S. A. Mortlock) in the compilation of these Tables.

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TABLE I.

Showing the Admissions, Re-Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year ending 31st December, 1883.

				M.	F.	T.
In the Asylum January 1st, 1883				366	473	839
	M.	F.	T.			
Cases Admitted—						
First Admissions	79	110	189			
Not First Admissions ...	24	27	51			
Total Cases Admitted during the Year ...				103	137	240
Total Cases under Care during the Year ...				469	610	1079
	M.	F.	T.			
Cases Discharged—						
Recovered	42	53	95			
Relieved	30	38	68			
Not Improved	...	2	2			
Died	41	39	80			
Total Cases Discharged and Died during the Year				113	132	245
Remaining in the Asylum 31st Dec., 1883 ...				356	478	834
	M.	F.	T.			
Average Number Resident during the Year	360	478	838			
Persons under Care during the Year	462	605	1067			
Persons Admitted	96	132	228			
„ Recovered	37	49	84			
Transferred to this Asylum ...	3	6	9			
„ from this Asylum	4	...	4			

TABLE 1A.

Showing (1) *the Previous Attacks among Persons Admitted during the Year 1883, and* (2) *the Number of Times they had Previously Recovered in this or any Asylum.*

(1) NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ATTACKS.	PERSONS.		
	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.
Have had 1 Attack	15	17	32
„ 2 Attacks	2	6	8
„ 3 „	2	2	4
„ 4 „	2	...	2
„ 5 „	1	...	1
„ 6 „	1	1	2
„ 7 „	...	1	1
„ 8 „	1	...	1

(2) NUMBER OF TIMES PATIENTS RECOVERED.	IN THIS ASYLUM.			IN ANY ASYLUM.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Once	9	12	21	17	19	36
Twice	3	5	8	5	7	12
3 Times	3	2	5	...	...	...
4 „	1	...	1	...	...	...
5 „	1	...	1	...	...	...
6 „	...	1	1	...	...	...
7 „	...	1	1	...	...	...
8 „	1	...	1	...	...	...

TABLE II.

Showing the Admissions, Re-Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, from the Opening of the Asylum to the 31st December, 1883.

	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Persons Admitted during the Period of 24½ years	2161	2124	4285			
Re-Admissions	234	330	564			
Total Cases Admitted	...	...	...	2395	2454	4849
Discharged Cases—						
Recovered	622	782	1404			
Relieved	281	307	588			
Not Improved	185	104	289			
Died	951	783	1734			
Total Cases Discharged and Died since the Opening of the Asylum	...	...	...	2039	1976	4015
Remaining 31st Dec., 1883 ...	...	...	...	356	478	834
Average number Resident during the 24½ years ...	296	352	648			
Transferred to this Asylum ...	410	322	732			
„ from this Asylum	260	132	392			

TABLE IIA.

Showing the Admissions and Recoveries of Persons from 25th July, 1859, to the present date, 31st December, 1883. (24½ years).*

HISTORY OF RECOVERIES OF PERSONS.				The same, only omitting all persons transferred from other Asylums, &c.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Persons Admitted during the 24½ years	2161	2124	4285	1751	1802	3553
Of whom were Discharged Recovered during the same Period, being 26.7 per cent. of Persons Admitted ...	508	640	1148	487	601	1088 30.6
Of whom were Re-Admitted Relapsed †...	100	176	276	95	168	263
Leaving Recovered Persons who have not Relapsed ...	408	464	872	392	433	825
Relapsed Persons Discharged Recovered ‡	39	70	109	39	70	109
Nett ‖ Recovered Persons, being 22.8 per cent. of Persons Admitted	447	534	981	431	503	934 26.2

* Persons, *i.e.*, separate persons, in contradistinction to cases which may include the same individual more than once.

† *i.e.*, Persons who have Relapsed one or more times.

‡ *i.e.*, After last Re-Admission, if Relapsed more than once.

‖ *i.e.*, Recovered persons sane at the present time, so far as the Asylum Statistics show.

cent. of the Admissions for each Year since the Opening of the Asylum, July 25th, 1859.

Year.	Admitted.			Discharged. Recovered.			Discharged. Relieved.			Discharged. Not Improved			Died.			Remaining 31st Dec. in each year.			Average No. Resident.			Per centage of Recoveries on Admissions.			Per centage of Deaths on Average Nos. Resident.		
	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Total.	Male.	Female	Both Sexes.	Male.	Female	Both Sexes.
1859...	143	164	307	2	4	6	...	...	...	1	1	2	4	6	10	135	150	285	108	124	232	1.4	2.4	1.9	3.7	4.8	4.3
1860...	80	104	184	12	18	30	3	3	6	4	1	5	25	9	34	172	227	399	133	161	294	15.0	17.3	16.3	18.8	5.5	11.5
1861...	103	66	169	7	22	29	3	1	4	10	18	28	26	19	45	228	231	459	192	227	419	6.8	33.3	17.1	13.5	8.3	10.7
1862...	60	69	129	14	16	30	1	6	7	7	3	10	23	18	41	242	258	500	232	249	481	23.3	23.1	23.2	9.9	7.2	8.5
1863...	59	22	81	13	19	32	9	2	11	33	1	34	28	15	43	220	243	463	235	256	491	22.0	86.3	39.5	11.9	5.8	8.7
1864...	64	70	134	14	10	24	5	2	7	4	4	8	36	21	57	225	276	501	223	250	473	21.8	14.2	17.9	16.1	8.4	12.0
1865...	67	57	124	16	17	33	6	6	12	1	4	5	36	29	65	233	277	510	227	281	508	23.8	29.8	26.6	15.8	10.3	12.7
1866...	70	89	159	17	25	42	5	8	13	1	...	1	40	30	70	240	303	543	239	296	535	24.2	28.2	26.4	16.7	10.1	13.0
1867...	69	93	162	15	27	42	6	13	19	1	4	5	35	37	72	252	315	567	244	312	556	21.7	29.0	25.9	14.3	11.8	12.9
1868...	119	73	192	14	34	48	5	5	10	2	...	2	28	24	52	322	325	647	290	326	616	11.7	46.6	25.0	9.6	7.3	8.4
1869...	60	68	128	21	25	46	6	4	10	2	3	5	35	29	64	318	332	650	320	333	653	35.0	36.7	36.0	10.9	8.7	9.8
1870...	83	83	166	29	32	61	5	2	7	...	...	...	28	29	57	339	352	691	332	344	676	34.9	38.5	36.7	8.4	8.5	8.4
1871...	52	64	116	28	35	63	16	8	24	48	1	49	38	31	69	261	341	602	304	345	649	53.8	54.7	54.3	12.5	9.0	10.6
1872...	138	130	268	23	44	67	7	11	18	2	1	3	35	32	67	332	383	715	295	369	664	16.6	33.8	* 25.0	11.8	8.6	10.1
1873...	100	104	204	30	43	73	14	26	40	1	2	3	45	25	70	342	391	733	337	393	730	30.0	41.0	35.7	13.0	6.6	9.5
1874...	119	118	237	29	40	69	8	13	21	1	1	2	64	41	105	359	414	773	348	405	753	24.4	33.9	29.1	18.3	10.1	13.9
1875...	122	136	258	23	34	57	35	20	55	9	18	27	61	59	120	353	419	772	364	422	786	18.8	25.0	* 22.0	16.7	13.9	15.2
1876...	131	117	248	43	47	90	16	20	36	11	6	17	43	40	83	371	423	794	365	424	789	32.8	40.1	36.2	11.7	9.4	10.5
1877...	105	117	222	26	34	60	25	22	47	21	7	28	46	50	96	358	427	785	360	426	786	24.7	29.0	27.0	12.7	11.7	12.2
1878...	112	121	233	38	31	69	20	14	34	11	10	21	47	57	104	354	436	790	362	430	792	33.9	25.6	29.6	12.9	13.2	13.1
1879...	104	111	215	32	36	68	15	22	37	4	2	6	48	50	98	359	437	796	360	440	800	30.7	32.4	31.6	13.3	11.3	12.2
1880...	115	114	229	46	32	78	20	25	45	6	9	15	53	32	85	349	453	802	361	448	809	40.0	28.0	34.0	14.6	7.1	10.5
1881...	102	120	222	45	34	79	11	16	27	3	...	3	35	34	69	357	489	846	360	472	832	44.0	28.3	35.5	9.7	7.2	8.2
1882...	115	107	222	43	70	113	10	20	30	2	6	8	51	27	78	366	473	839	360	475	835	38.7	67.9	52.8	14.1	5.6	9.3
1883...	103	137	240	42	53	95	30	38	68	...	2	2	41	39	80	356	478	834	360	478	838	40.7	38.6	39.5	11.3	8.1	9.5
Total...	2395	2454	4849	622	782	1404	281	307	588	185	104	289	951	783	1734	Average or per centage.			296	352	648	25.9	31.8	28.9	13.0	9.0	10.8

* The apparently low per centage of Recoveries in these years is due to the Admission of many Chronic Lunatics from St. Pancras, Maidstone, and Peterborough.

TABLE IV.

Showing the History of the Annual Admissions since the Opening of the Asylum, with the Discharges and Deaths, and the Numbers of each Year remaining on the 31st December, 1883.

Admitted.						Of each Year's Admissions Discharged and Died in 1883.												Total Discharged and Died of each Year's Admissions to 31st Dec., 1882.												Remaining of each year's Admissions Dec. 31st, 1883			
	New Cases.		Relapsed Cases.			Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.			Died.			Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.			Died.						
Year.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	Year.
1859	143	164	...	...	307	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	...		...	2	2	11	16	27	2	15	17	5	2	7	105	109	214	18	19	37	1859
1860	79	104	1	...	184	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	30	46	8	9	17	11	16	27	41	39	80	4	9	13	1860
1861	102	60	1	6	169	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	10	20	30	10	6	16	40	5	45	38	28	66	5	6	11	1861
1862	58	64	2	5	129	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	16	28	44	5	5	10	1	2	3	32	27	59	6	6	12	1862
1863	58	22	1	...	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	5	16	4	4	8	2	1	3	37	10	47	5	2	7	1863
1864	56	62	8	8	134	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	19	35	5	4	9	3	5	8	35	30	65	5	11	16	1864
1865	62	50	5	7	124	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	12	18	30	5	6	11	...	2	2	45	22	67	5	7	12	1865
1866	64	84	6	5	159	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	15	26	41	6	10	16	1	1	2	42	42	84	4	10	14	1866
1867	63	80	6	13	162	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	29	50	9	11	20	1	5	6	28	38	66	9	10	19	1867
1868	116	61	3	12	192	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	34	53	18	5	23	47	...	47	22	31	53	13	3	16	1868
1869	57	61	3	7	128	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	21	40	4	8	12	4	1	5	24	31	55	9	5	14	1869
1870	76	71	7	12	166	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	31	40	71	2	9	11	2	...	2	41	19	60	6	14	20	1870
1871	42	52	10	12	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	24	42	8	8	16	...	1	1	18	21	39	8	10	18	1871
1872	130	119	8	11	268	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	27	54	81	33	22	55	16	12	28	50	26	76	11	13	24	1872
1873	88	85	12	19	204	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	31	38	69	12	13	25	3	2	5	45	30	75	9	17	26	1873
1874	106	100	13	18	237	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	37	69	17	15	32	6	5	11	51	37	88	12	22	34	1874
1875	109	121	13	15	258	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	3	32	39	71	22	17	39	9	12	21	43	50	93	14	16	30	1875
1876	114	96	17	21	248	...	...	...	3	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	35	72	15	25	40	19	8	27	41	30	71	16	17	33	1876
1877	92	101	13	16	222	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	2	26	35	61	17	19	36	1	7	8	39	30	69	20	23	43	1877
1878	98	100	14	21	233	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	3	3	38	28	66	13	19	32	2	6	8	37	35	72	21	29	50	1878
1879	93	92	11	19	215	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	4	6	32	38	70	14	11	25	4	...	4	29	19	48	21	39	60	1879
1880	98	87	17	27	229	...	1	1	2	4	6	...	...	...	2	2	4	43	36	79	12	18	30	6	4	10	33	15	48	17	34	51	1880
1881	85	98	17	22	222	...	2	2	6	3	9	...	...	...	1	5	6	39	53	92	8	6	14	2	4	6	19	18	37	27	29	56	1881
1882	93	80	22	27	222	12	16	28	6	8	14	...	1	1	17	6	23	28	26	54	2	4	6	...	1	1	15	7	22	35	38	73	1882
1883	79	110	24	27	240	30	32	62	3	6	9	...	1	1	14	9	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	89	145	1883
Total	2161	2124	234	330	4849	42	53	95	30	38	68	...	2	2	41	39	80	580	729	1309	251	269	520	185	102	287	910	744	1654	356	478	834	Total

Summary of Total Admissions, 1859-83.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Per centage of the Recovered	26.0	31.9	28.9
,, Relieved	11.7	12.5	12.1
,, Not Improved	7.7	4.2	6.0
,, Dead...	39.7	31.9	35.8
,, Remaining	14.9	19.5	17.2

TABLE V.

Showing the Causes of Death during the Year 1883, together with the Ages at Death.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	Under 15 Years.			15 and under 20.			20 and under 25.			25 and under 30.			30 and under 35.			35 and under 40.			40 and under 45.			45 and under 50.			50 and under 55.			55 and under 60.			60 and under 65.			65 and under 70.			70 and under 75.			75 and under 80.			80 and under 85.			85 and under 100.			Not known			Totals		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Cerebral Diseases.																																																			
Chronic Cerebral Meningitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Brain Atrophy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5
,, Softening	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Apoplexy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5
Tumour in the Brain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Dementia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Exhaustion from Mania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
,, ,, Melancholia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
Epilepsy	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	7
Progressive Paralysis of Insane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	1	4	5	...	5	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1	15
Thoracic Diseases.																																																			
Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Chronic Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Congestion of the Lungs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Phthisis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	3	4	...	2	2	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	11
Pleuritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Pleuro-Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Empyema	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Pericarditis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Morbus Cordis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	1	3	2	3	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7	12
Cancer of the Breast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Abdominal Diseases.																																																			
Cirrhosis of the Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Cancer ,, ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1
Other Diseases.																																																			
Decay of Old Age	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Totals	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	2	1	3	4	2	6	10	3	13	6	5	11	1	1	2	5	2	7	2	5	7	...	4	4	5	5	10	3	6	9	2	1	3	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	41	39	80

Ascertained by *Post-Mortem* Examination :—Males, 15 ; Females, 15 ; Total 30.

TABLE VI.

Showing the Length of Residence in those Discharged Recovered and in those who have Died during the Year 1883.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE.	RECOVERED.			DIED.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Under 1 month	4	2	6	6	2	8
1 month and under 3 months	18	23	41	5	4	9
3 months ,, 6 ,,	9	8	17	5	5	10
6 ,, ,, 9 ,,	6	12	18	4	2	6
9 ,, ,, 12 ,,	5	3	8	7	1	8
1 year ,, 2 years	...	1	1	5	6	11
2 years ,, 3 ,,	...	2	2	1	2	3
3 ,, ,, 5 ,,	...	...	...	3	3	6
5 ,, ,, 7 ,,	...	1	1	1	5	6
7 ,, ,, 10 ,,	...	1	1	2	1	3
10 ,, ,, 12 ,,	...	...	...	...	2	2
12 ,, ,, 15 ,,	...	...	...	1	1	2
15 ,, ,, 20 ,,	...	...	...	1	1	2
20 ,, ,, 25 ,,	...	...	...	...	4	4
TOTAL	42	53	95	41	39	80

TABLE VII.

Showing the Duration of the Disorder on Admission in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year 1883.

CLASS.	The Admissions.			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
First Class— First Attack, & within Three Months on Admission	40	59	99	15	22	37	9	13	22	19	14	33
Second Class— First Attack, above Three and within Twelve Months on Admission	10	14	24	...	4	4	1	8	9	7	7	14
Third Class— Not First Attack, and within Twelve Months on Admission	40	44	84	20	21	41	8	13	21	9	10	19
Fourth Class— First Attack or not, but of more than Twelve Months on Admission	...	6	6	...	2	2	2	1	3	3	3	6
Fifth Class— Congenital.....	5	10	15	...	...	...	5	...	5	2	2	4
Not Ascertained	8	4	12	7	4	11	5	5	10	1	3	4
Total.....	103	137	240	42	53	95	30	40	70	41	39	80

TABLE VIII.

Showing in Quinquennial Periods the Ages of those Admitted, Recovered, and Died during the Year 1883, and of those remaining on the 31st December, 1883.

AGES.	The Admissions.			Recovered.			The Deaths.			Patients Resident 31st Dec., 1883.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
5 years and under 10 years...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
10 ,, ,, 15 ,, ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2
15 ,, ,, 20 ,, ...	1	8	9	...	1	1	1	...	1	5	11	16
20 ,, ,, 25 ,, ...	15	12	27	5	8	13	...	1	1	30	20	50
25 ,, ,, 30 ,, ...	7	12	19	4	6	10	2	1	3	19	29	48
30 ,, ,, 35 ,, ...	13	17	30	6	6	12	4	2	6	49	56	105
35 ,, ,, 40 ,, ...	21	21	42	9	4	13	10	3	13	43	53	96
40 ,, ,, 45 ,, ...	11	20	31	6	13	19	7	5	12	61	53	114
45 ,, ,, 50 ,, ...	7	13	20	3	4	7	1	1	2	33	53	86
50 ,, ,, 55 ,, ...	11	9	20	2	3	5	5	3	8	35	56	91
55 ,, ,, 60 ,, ...	5	12	17	3	5	8	2	4	6	21	58	79
60 ,, ,, 65 ,, ...	4	6	10	2	...	2	...	5	5	19	42	61
65 ,, ,, 70 ,, ...	2	5	7	...	1	1	3	3	6	8	27	35
70 ,, ,, 75 ,, ...	1	...	1	1	...	1	2	8	10	11	6	17
75 ,, ,, 80 ,, ...	1	1	2	...	1	1	3	1	4	7	5	12
80 ,, ,, 85 ,, ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3	5
85 ,, ,, 90 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Unknown.....	2	...	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	9	6	15
Total.....	103	137	240	42	53	95	41	39	80	356	478	834
Mean Age.....	38.0	40.0	39.2	38.2	37.9	38.1	43.5	55.8	49.5	41.5	44.8	43.4

TABLE IX.

Showing the Condition as to Marriage in the Admissions, Recoveries, and Deaths during the Year 1883, and of Patients Resident 31st December, 1883.

Condition in reference to Marriage.	The Admissions.			The Discharges. Recovered.			The Deaths.			Patients Resident December 31st.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Single	36	49	85	16	19	35	11	15	26	216	247	463
Married	56	67	123	20	27	47	25	18	43	101	167	268
Widowed	8	19	27	5	7	12	5	5	10	21	51	72
Unknown	3	2	5	1	...	1	...	1	1	18	13	31
Total	103	137	240	42	53	95	41	39	80	356	478	834

TABLE X.

Showing the Probable Causes of Insanity in the Patients Admitted during the Year 1883.

Causes of Insanity.	Number of Instances in which each Cause was Assigned.											
	Admissions ... { No. of Cases. M. 103. ... F. 137. ... Total, 240.											
	As Predisposing Cause.			As Exciting Cause.			As Predisposing or Exciting (where these could not be distinguished).			Total.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
MORAL.												
Domestic Trouble (including loss of relatives and friends)	4	1	5	1	9	10	...	3	3	5	13	18
Adverse Circumstances (including business anxieties and pecuniary difficulties)	1	...	1	2	3	5	...	...	...	3	3	6
Mental Anxiety and Worry (not included in the above two heads) and Overwork	...	...	...	1	2	3	1	...	1	2	2	4
Religious Excitement	1	3	4	3	5	8	5	5	10	9	13	22
Love Affairs (including seduction) ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	2
Fright and Nervous Shock	...	2	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	2	2	4
PHYSICIAL.												
Intemperance in Drink	6	4	10	11	7	18	6	...	6	23	11	34
Self-Abuse (sexual)	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2
Sunstroke	3	...	3	1	...	1	1	...	1	5	...	5
Accident or Injury	2	2	4	...	1	1	1	...	1	3	3	6
Pregnancy	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Parturition and the Puerperal State...	...	2	2	...	9	9	...	2	2	...	13	13
Lactation	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Privation and Starvation	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Old Age	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	1	1	2	3
Other Bodily Diseases or Disorders ...	...	2	2	1	...	1	6	3	9	7	5	12
Previous Attacks	9	16	25	...	...	...	2	1	3	11	17	28
Hereditary Influences Ascertained (direct and collateral)	18	33	51	...	...	...	1	2	3	19	35	54
Congenital Defect Ascertained	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
Unknown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	36	63
	44	65	109	25	40	65	25	18	43	121	159	280

TABLE XI.

Showing the Form of Mental Disorder on Admission in the Admissions, Recoveries, and Deaths of the Year 1883, and the Form of Mental Disorder of the Inmates on 31st December, 1883.

Form of Mental Disorder.	Admissions.			Recoveries.			Deaths.			Remaining in Asylum. Form of Mental Disorder, 31st December, 1883.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Congenital or Infantile Mental Deficiency *(a)* with Epilepsy	3	1	4	...	...	...	2	...	2	9	11	20
,, *(b)* without Epilepsy	3	8	11	...	...	...	...	1	1	25	26	51
Epilepsy—Acquired	4	3	7	...	...	...	4	3	7	42	34	76
General Paralysis of the Insane ...	15	2	17	...	...	...	14	1	15	13	3	16
Mania :—												
,, Acute	33	51	84	22	23	45	1	8	9	11	43	54
,, Chronic	...	2	2	...	...	...	3	2	5	109	171	280
,, Recurrent	22	19	41	7	13	20	1	1	2	24	18	42
,, a Potu	2	1	3	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, Puerperal	...	7	7	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	5	5
,, Senile	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	6	8
Melancholia :—												
,, Acute	8	18	26	6	10	16	6	11	17	11	18	29
,, Chronic	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	18	32	50
,, Recurrent	6	10	16	2	2	4	1	4	5	4	6	10
,, Puerperal	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
,, Senile	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4
Dementia :—												
,, Primary	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...
,, Secondary	3	3	6	...	...	...	1	3	4	63	88	151
,, Senile	2	4	6	...	...	...	5	4	9	23	14	37
,, Organic, *i.e.*, from Tumours, Coarse Brain Disease, &c.	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Not Insane on Admission	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	103	137	240	42	53	95	41	39	80	356	478	834

TABLE XII.

Showing the Station or Occupation of Patients admitted during the Year 1883.

MALES.	NO.	MALES.	NO.	FEMALES.	NO.	FEMALES.	NO.
Agent	1	Labourers	26	Cooks	5	Wife of Farmer	1
Accountant	1	Musical Profession	1	Clerk	1	,, Gardener	3
Blacksmiths	2	Porter	1	Charwoman	1	,, Hairdresser	1
Baker	1	Painters	6	Domestic Servants	23	,, Hurdlemaker	1
Bathing Machine Attendant	1	Plasterers	3	Dressmakers	8	,, Innkeeper	1
Bricklayers	6	Printers	2	Draper's Assistant	1	,, Labourer	16
Beerhouse Keeper	1	Photographer	1	Daughter of Labourer	2	,, Porter	1
Barrister	1	Soldier	1	Furrier	1	,, Roadman	1
Butcher (Pork)	1	Ditto—Discharged	4	Housekeepers	3	,, Smith	1
Carpenters	4	Shoemakers	2	Hawkers	3	,, Shipwright	1
Clerks	2	Surgeon	1	Laundrywomen	5	,, Shoemaker	1
Coachman	1	Sailors	2	Needlewomen	4	,, Schoolmaster	1
Cabinet-maker	1	Silversmith	1	Teachers	3	,, Soldier	1
Carrier	1	Tailors	3	Tailoress	1	,, Upholsterer	1
Custom House Officer	1	Twine Spinner	1	Wife of Baker	3	,, Wine Merchant	1
Engineer	1	Waterman	1	,, Butcher	1	Widow of Clerk	1
Farmer	1	Wheelwright	1	,, Builder	1	,, Gardener	1
Grocers	2	No Occupation	6	,, Carter	1	,, Labourer	1
Ditto Assistants	3	Not Ascertained	2	,, Cab Proprietor	1	No Occupation	16
Gardeners	3			,, Carpenter	5	Not Ascertained	10
Ditto—Market	1			,, Draper	1		
Hawker	1	TOTAL	103	,, Dairyman	1		
Husbandman	1			,, Engine Driver	1	TOTAL	137

TABLE XIII.

Patients' Daily State and Employment.

(Compiled from the Daily State Book, which is made up from the Ward Returns).

OCCUPATION OR TRADE.	Daily No. of Patients Employed.
Male Patients.	
Working Party. With the Gardener and Out-door Attendants	93
Working Party. With the Farm Attendants	20
Working Party. With the Cowman	4
With the Carpenter	3
,, Bricklayer	2
,, Upholsterer	3
,, Basketmaker	3
,, Tailor...	12
,, Shoemaker	12
,, Matmaker...	16
,, Painter	6
,, Engineer	3
,, Baker	4
,, House Attendant	4
,, Bath ,, ...	8
In the Dining Hall	9
,, Storekeeper's Stores...	5
,, Wards (Cleaning)	77
Daily Number Employed	284
Female Patients.	
In Laundry and Wash-house	70
,, Kitchen	8
,, Dining Hall...	14
,, Wards, &c. (Cleaning)	58
,, ,, (Needlework)	222
,, Vegetable Room...	6
Daily Number Employed	378

	DAILY ATTENDANCE.		
ATTENDANCE AT—	M.	F.	TOTAL.
,, Sunday Divine Service	278	399	677
,, Week-day ,, ...	247	362	609
,, School	70	65	135
,, Weekly Ball	130	130	260
,, Other Entertainments	150	160	310
Walk about Grounds	86	280	366
,, beyond ,, ...	80	80	160
,, on Terraces	136	386	522
NIGHT REPORT.			
Number of Wet Cases	5	5	10
,, Dirty ,, ...	1	2	3
,, Noisy (at Night)	6	12	18
Average Number Resident (Mean Annual Population)	360	478	838

TABLE XIV.

THE ESTABLISHMENT.

OFFICERS.

Medical Superintendent	£1000	Furnished House, Coals, Vegetables, and Laundry.
Chaplain	250	None.
Clerk to Visitors	150	None.
Clerk of Asylum	250	None.
Senior Assistant Medical Officer ...	200	Lodging, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Junior Assistant Medical Officer ...	100	Lodging, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Housekeeper	60	Lodging, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Head Attendant (Female)	90	Lodging, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Female Assistant Officer	32	Lodging, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Storekeeper	150	House and Gas.
Head Attendant (Male)	105	House, Coals, Vegetables, and Gas.

ATTENDANTS AND SERVANTS.

1	Male Attendant (Night) ...	66	0	0	None.
1	Ditto ditto ...	60	0	0	None.
1	Ditto ditto ...	58	0	0	None.
1	Ditto ditto ...	57	0	0	None.
1	Organist and Schoolmaster	52	0	0	None.
1	Office Clerk	33	16	0	Dinner Daily.

Board, Lodging, and Washing :—

1	Male Attendant (Dining Hall)	40	0	0
6	Ditto	40	0	0
1	Ditto	38	0	0
2	Ditto	36	0	0
1	Ditto	34	0	0
1	Ditto	33	0	0
1	Ditto	32	0	0
1	Ditto	31	0	0
1	Ditto	29	0	0
3	Ditto	28	0	0
4	Ditto	27	0	0
1	Female Attendant (Night)	29	0	0
1	Ditto ditto	23	0	0
2	Ditto ditto	19	0	0
1	Ditto ditto	18	0	0
1	Ditto (Dining Hall)	22	0	0
3	Ditto	30	0	0
2	Ditto	25	0	0
1	Ditto	24	0	0
2	Ditto	22	0	0
3	Ditto	20	0	0
2	Ditto	19	0	0
5	Ditto	18	0	0
4	Ditto	17	0	0
3	Ditto	16	0	0
1	Seamstress...	25	0	0
1	Head Laundry Maid ...	28	0	0
1	Laundry Maid	19	0	0
1	Ditto	18	0	0
1	Ditto	16	0	0
1	Hall Porter	40	0	0
1	Man Cook	44	0	0
1	Dairy Maid...	19	0	0
1	Kitchen Maid	18	0	0
1	Vegetable Room Maid ...	15	0	0
1	Housemaid	16	0	0
1	Ditto	15	0	0
1	Ditto	14	0	0
1	Farm Attendant	35	0	0
1	Ditto	28	0	0
1	House Attendant	36	0	0
1	Bath ditto	33	0	0

House, Coals, Vegetables, &c.

	per Week.		
1 Engineer	1	18	0
1 Bailiff	1	5	0
1 Gardener	1	4	0
1 Blacksmith (House & Gas)	1	6	0
1 Front Ground Labourer ...	0	18	6

	per Week.		
Tailor	1	4	0
Shoemaker	1	6	0
Matmaker	1	6	0
Basketmaker	1	4	0
Upholsterer	1	12	0
Baker	1	8	2
Butcher	1	5	0
Under Garden Attendant ...	1	1	0
Carpenter	1	11	0
Bricklayer	1	11	0
Bricklayer's Labourer	1	0	0
Painter and Glazier	1	11	0
Stoker...	1	1	0
Ditto	0	19	0
Cowman	1	0	0
Under Cowman	0	17	0
Two Carters	0	19	0
Stock Man...	0	17	0
House Carter	1	0	0

Made up on January 1st, 1884.

TABLE XV.

Contract Prices of the Principal Articles of Consumption for the Year 1883.

ARTICLES.		QUARTERS ENDING											
		March.			June.			September.			December.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Beef *from Farm*	@ ℔ Stone	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	4	0	5	4
Mutton „	„ „	0	7	2	0	7	0	0	7	4	0	6	6
Flour—Households	„ Sack	1	11	0	1	11	9	1	11	6	1	10	9
„ Seconds	„ „	1	10	0	1	10	9	1	10	6	1	8	9
Meal	„ „	1	8	0	1	10	0	1	9	6	1	6	3
Ale—X	„ Barrel	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0
„ —XX	„ „	1	10	0	1	10	0	1	10	0	1	10	0
Cheese	„ Cwt.	2	10	0	2	10	0	2	10	0	3	0	0
Butter	„ „	4	18	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	5	8	0
Bacon	„ „	3	16	0	3	14	0	3	14	0	3	18	0
Sugar—Raw	„ „	1	0	9	0	18	9	0	18	9	1	2	9
„ Refined	„ „	1	11	6	1	9	6	1	9	6	1	9	9
Treacle	„ „	0	12	6	0	12	6	0	12	6	0	12	6
Soap—Yellow	„ „	1	10	9	1	10	6	1	10	6	1	11	9
„ Soft	„ Firkin	0	11	6	0	10	9	0	10	9	0	11	9
Coals—Steam	„ Ton	0	17	6	0	17	6	0	18	6	0	18	6
„ —House	„ „	0	17	4½	0	17	4½	0	17	3	0	17	3
Coke	„ Chaldron	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	6	0

TABLE XVI.

DIET SCALE.

	BREAKFAST At 8.0 A.M.					DINNER at 1.0 P.M.																SUPPER at 6.0 P.M.					
	Males.		*Females.*			*Males.*								*Females.*								*Males.*			*Females.*		
																						Sweet Cake or			Sweet Cake or		
	Bread.	Cocoa.	Bread.	Butter.	Coffee.	Bread.	Beer.	Uncooked Meat.	Meat Pudding.	Suet Pudding.	Mutton Broth or Pea Soup.	Plum Dumpling	Vegetables.	Bread.	Beer.	Uncooked Meat.	Meat Pudding.	Plum Pudding.	Mutton Broth or Pea Soup.	Meat Stew.	Vegetables.	Bread.	Butter.	Coffee.	Bread.	Butter.	Tea.
	oz.	pt.	oz.	oz.	pt.	oz.	pt.	oz.	oz.	oz.	pt.	oz.	oz.	oz.	pt.	oz.	oz.	oz.	pt.	pt.	oz.	oz.	oz.	pt.	oz.	oz.	pt.
Sunday	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	6	...	12	...	...	16	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	8	...	...	...	...	12	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Monday ...	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	...	...	1	...	8	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	...	...	...	...	12	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Tuesday ...	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	12	...	...	...	12	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	...	...	...	1	12	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Wednesday ...	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	...	...	...	...	16	...	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	...	...	...	1	12	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Thursday ...	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	8	...	...	...	...	16	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	...	...	12	...	...	...	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Friday	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	12	...	...	...	12	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	...	...	1	...	8	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Saturday ...	6	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1	4	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	...	...	1	...	8	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	8	...	...	...	12	6	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	5	$\frac{3}{8}$	1
Weekly Total	42	7	35	$2\frac{5}{8}$	7	28	$3\frac{1}{2}$	30	24	12	2	16	72	20	$3\frac{1}{2}$	28	8	12	1	2	68	42	$3\frac{1}{2}$	7	35	$2\frac{5}{8}$	7

TABLE XVI.—*Continued.*

DINNER.

	Male Patients.	*Female Patients.*
Sunday	Bacon and Suet Pudding, with Rice and Fruit in season.	Roast Meat, with Rice and Fruit in season.
Monday	Mutton Broth or Bread and Cheese (3oz).	Pork and Vegetables.
Tuesday	Meat Pudding.	Meat Stew.
Wednesday ...	Plum Dumpling and Treacle Sauce.	Meat Stew.
Thursday ...	Roast Meat or Pickled Pork.	Plum Pudding and Treacle Sauce.
Friday	Meat Pudding.	Mutton Broth or Irish Stew
Saturday ...	Irish Stew.	Meat Pudding or Bacon, 4oz., with Suet Pudding, 8oz.

Bread, Beer, and Vegetables Daily.
When Rice and Fruit Pudding is given on Sunday, 4oz. less Suet Pudding to Males, and 1oz. less Meat to Females.

Extra Diet for Sick.—Minced Meat, Steak, Mutton Chop, Fowl, Fish, Eggs, Mutton Broth, Beef Tea, Essence of Beef, Milk, Arrowroot, Rice Pudding, Batter Pudding, Sago, Barley Water, Gruel, Oranges, Biscuits, Calf's Foot Jelly, Porter, Bitter Ale, Port Wine, Sherry, Brandy, Gin, Whisky, Rum, Lemonade, Soda Water.

Extra Diet for Working Patients.—½ Pint Beer, 2oz. Bread, 1oz. Cheese at 11 A.M., and ½ Pint Beer at 4 P.M.; the Laundry Patients 4oz. Bread, with Butter, and ½ Pint Tea. Tobacco and Snuff given as indulgences.

Attendants' and Servants' Diet.—Men, 1lb. Uncooked Meat; Women, ¾lb. ditto; 1lb. Vegetables, 1lb. Bread, 2 Pints Beer daily; 2oz. Tea, ¾lb. Sugar, ¼lb. Coffee, ½lb. Butter, 1lb. Cheese weekly. ¼lb. of Meat may be exchanged for Pudding or Pie, at the discretion of the Housekeeper.

Cocoa for One Hundred Patients.—3¼lbs. Cocoa, 6¼lbs. Treacle, 3 Gallons Milk, or more, if the Dairy yields it.

Coffee	*Ditto*	1½lbs. Coffee, ¼lb. Chicory, 5lbs. Treacle, 2 Gallons Milk.
Tea	*Ditto*	1lb. Tea, 4lbs. Sugar, and 2 Gallons Milk.
Mutton Broth	*Ditto*	The Liquor of the Cooked Meat, Bones, &c.; 25lbs. Meat; 3lbs. Scotch Barley, Oatmeal; Rice, 10lbs. Turnips, Cabbage, Parsnip, Leeks, Onions, Artichokes, or other Vegetables, Herbs, Salt, and Pepper.
Meat Pie	*Ditto*	Dripping Crust; 31lbs. Flour; 51lbs. Potatoes; 13lbs. Meat.
Meat Pudding	*Ditto*	25lbs. Meat; 25lbs. Flour. (Boiled or Baked.)
Meat Stew	*Ditto*	25lbs. Meat in a Stew, with Potatoes and other Vegetables mixed with Rice and Barley.

Plum Pudding, 100lbs. weight.—Flour, 46¾lbs.; Suet, 6¼lbs.; Raisins, 7¾lbs.

(Signed) S. W. D. WILLIAMS, M.D.,
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HAYWARDS HEATH, 31st December, 1883.